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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. Sections 1.97 and 1.98, enclosed for the Examiner's consideration are certain additional materials that may be relevant to the patentability of the present invention. For example, page 4 of the document entitled "Flexiscan Product Range, User Guide: Version 1.1" (id Systems Ltd.) appears to describe certain features of an RFID reader. Additional information may also be available on the web site maintained by id Systems, Ltd., which is believed to be www.id-systems.com or www.idsys.co.uk.

U.S. Patent No. 5,448,242 is believed to be an English language counterpart to Japan 8-54462 and U.S. Patent No. 5,500,651 is believed to be an English language counterpart to Japan 8-18052.

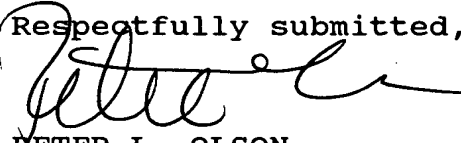
The foreign language references are relevant to portable RFID readers.

Applicants submit that the above references, whether taken alone or in combination with each other

neither anticipate nor render obvious the present invention. Consideration of the foregoing in relation to the captioned application is respectfully requested.

Also enclosed is PTO Form FB-A820 listing each of the above references.

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